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1. [redacted] during 1954 [redacted] in Warsaw an unknown number of Polish military officers and enlisted men wearing metal branch insignia on both collar flashes of their uniforms. 1. 25X1
2. The metallic insignia measured approximately 3 cm. in size with the exception of the mechanized or tank insignia, which appeared to be about 2½ cm. in size. The metallic insignia were silver-colored with the exception of that of the medical branch which was gold-colored. 25X1
3. [redacted] the following information on the insignia [redacted]



[redacted] believed this to be the insignia of the motor transport branch. [redacted]

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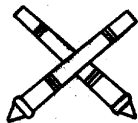
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[redacted] 25X1
 this was the insignia of the infantry
 branch. It was worn on red collar
 flashes. [redacted] 25X1
 the same insignia was being worn by
 troops [redacted] identified as Internal 25X1
 Security Corps (KWB) troops because
 of their blue collar flashes and
 blue hatbands.



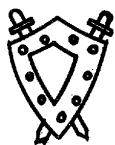
[redacted] this 25X1
 was the insignia of the artillery
 branch; it was worn on collar flashes,
 [redacted] 25X1



[redacted] 25X1
 believed it was worn by some kind
 of artillery troops. [redacted] 25X1



[redacted] 25X1
 believed it to be worn on red
 collar flashes by members of the
 Warsaw Military Technical Academy.²



[redacted] this was the insignia 25X1
 of the "justice" branch of service; it
 was worn on red collar flashes.



[redacted] this 25X1
 was the insignia of the medical
 branch; it was worn on red collar
 flashes. [redacted] it may 25X1
 also have been worn by veterinary
 personnel.



[redacted] 25X1
 insignia of the quartermaster branch;
 it was worn on red collar flashes.

[redacted] 25X1
 The "K" on the insignia indicates
 Kwatermistrzowstwo.

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insignia of the mechanized and/or tank branch of service; it appeared to be smaller in size than the other insignia and worn on black collar flashes.

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